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INTELLIGENCE PRINCIPLES AND METHODS NO. 4

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ORAL BRIEFINGS

ASSIGNMENT NO. 2: INTELLIGENCE PERIODICALS

1. PURPOSE:

To present an informative and critical review of selected periodicals useful to analysts of the intelligence community.

2. PROCEDURE:

Each student will examine his assigned periodical (see attached list) and present information and conclusions in a 4 - 5 minute briefing according to the following general outline:

- A. Originator
- B. Date of first publication and current frequency
- C. Purpose and dissemination
- D. Format, style, use of photos or graphics (display a copy)
- E. Scope and nature of content
(Original reporting, evaluated data, reprints from other sources)
- F. Indexing
- G. Brief description or digest of a typical article appearing in a recent issue of the periodical.
- H. Value in intelligence research.

3. AVAILABILITY OF PERIODICALS:

Complete files or specimen copies of all periodicals listed can be found in the Library in Alcott Hall. The Librarian can supply information on date of first publication and current dissemination. DO NOT CONTACT THE ISSUING AGENCY OR OFFICE TO OBTAIN ADDITIONAL DATA.

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